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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Following the decision of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences dated May 29, 2009, and along with the attached Request for Continuing Examination, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

The presently pending Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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